

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 HOUSE BILL 1294

By: Miller

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to criminal procedure; amending 22
8 O.S. 2011, Section 458, which relates to fixing
9 amount of bail; directing court to temporarily fix
10 amount of bail for defendants; requiring counsel for
11 defendant at initial appearance; directing court to
12 individually determine ability of defendant to pay
13 bail; and providing an effective date.

14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2011, Section 458, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 458. A. If the offense charged is bailable the court,
18 upon directing the bench warrant to issue, the court must
19 temporarily fix the amount of bail and an endorsement must be made
20 on the bench warrant and signed by the clerk, to the following
21 effect:

22 The defendant is to be admitted to bail in the sum of
23 Dollars.
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1 B. At his or her initial appearance, the defendant shall be
2 entitled to counsel and an individualized determination of his or
3 her ability to pay the bail fixed in the warrant.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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